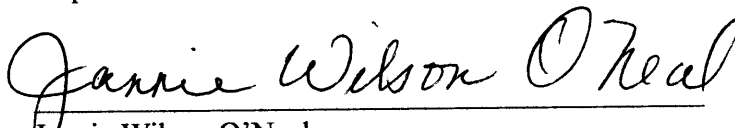


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I graduated from South Macon High School in 1975. My daughter, Desiree', who is going to the 5<sup>th</sup> grade, and my son, Lewis, who is going to the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, both attend South Macon Elementary School. We live in the southern part of Macon County, Alabama. I am concerned that my children will be going to two different schools under the Board's plan to consolidate the various elementary schools. Being a parent, I will like to attend programs, events and meetings at my children's school. If South Macon closes, that means I will have to choose which programs and events I can attend if they occur on the same day and time at the two schools. What is a mother to do? I want my children to attend our neighborhood school where they are both in the same school.

I am afraid of the negative effect that closing South Macon School will have on my family and my community. We want South Macon to remain open and for it to be a K-8 school again.

  
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SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July,  
 2005.

  
 Notary Public

My Commission expires: 12/03/08

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